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Committee on Invitations Sends Impressive Ceremonies Marked Cards to Various Societies.

BUT EVERYONE IS WELCOME LIKE MOSES, AARON AND HUR

Patriotic Organizations, Labor Bodies and the Military Invited to Lend Their Presence to the Great Mass Meeting Quesada Will Address It. Details Shaping Up.

The details of the grand rally of the sympathizers with the Caban cause are rapidly crystallizing, and everything is moving along with such barmony and enthusiasm that the public can anticipate a demonstra-

tion worthy of its inspiration. Interest in the proceedings will be en-hanced by the fact that two eloquent Cuban patriots will address the meeting and

Cuban patriots will address the meeting and tell of the rights and wrongs of the historic Isle of Cuba. One of these speakers will be Benor Gonzales de Quesada, and the other Senor Flidel G. Pierron.

This information is obtained from a personal letter to Hon. Simon Wolf, president of the general committee of arrangements. In his letter Senor Quesada says that should be speak the Spanish authorities might claim that the meeting was gotten up by the Cubans, but current history will disprove that assumption. disprove that assumption.

disprove that assumption.

One of the important committees appointed at the last meeting was that on invitations, of which Mr. Bushrod Robinson is chairman, and Mr. J. K. Potter, of the Federation of Labor, secretary.

This committee was charged with the daty especially of inviting to the meeting the organized friends of liberty in the city, including the labor organizations, and the military.

FORM OF INVITATION.

The committee prepared last evening the form of invitation which it desires to be published and is as follows:

"The committee on invitation respectfully request the presence of your organization as a body at the Cuban mass meeting, to be held at Metzerott Hall, on the 31st inst., at 7:30 a.

7:30 p. m. "BUSHROD ROBINSON, Chairman,

"CHARLES BAUM,
"E. F. SIMPSON,
"JAMES M. GREEN,
"J. K. POTTER,

"Committee on Invitations."

This form will be used in the invitation to patriotic societies and other organizations, and will be addressed to the presiding officers of such todies who are expected to extend the invitation to the proposed of the content of the membership. Chairman Robinson, how-ever, said last night that wherever such notification to the variety societies would be impracticable, that the individual mem-bers are expected to attend on the invitation published this morning.

The two largest bodies expected to attend are the military and the G. A. R. Invita-tions will be sent to Brigadier General Ordway, and to Department Commander Anderson and to the following post com-

manders:
John M. Keogh, R. and P. office, War
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Department; George E. Davis, Q. M. G. O.,
War Department; B. F. Chase, Pension
Bureau; George H. Boston, 503 D street
northwest; J. H. Dewees, 604 Fifth street
northwest; Edmond Cotterill, War Department; F. H. Smith, War Department; Charles
T. Yoder, 615 E street northwest; J. P.
Quander, Kellogg building; A. F. Dinsmore, Pension Bureau; J. W. Bradbary,
navy yard, city; William H. Decker, office
of Anditor for War Department; Henry
W. Eno, Anacostia, D. C.; J. F. Raub,
Pension Bureau; Thomas B. Crisp, Pension
bureau; Jacob Moore, Soldiers' Home, D.
C.; R. H. Morran Pension Bureau; Bresser G., R. H. Morgan, Pension Bureau; Samuel McMonigle, Georgetown, D. C.; L. D. Bumpas, Government Printing Office. SOCIETIES TO ATTEND.

patriotic societies expected to atrate patronic societies expected to attend are:

Associated Veterans of 1846, Jfdge Edward Lander, Association of the Officst Inhabitants of the District of Columbia, John Marbury, St.; Union Veteran Legion, Coi. James Tanner, Union Veterans Union, William Irving, Hancock Command, Cot. C. W. Sherwood, John A. Logan Command, Cot. E. W. Sherwood, John A. Logan Command, Cot. G. W. Sherwood, John A. Logan Command, Cot. G. W. Sherwood, John A. Logan Command, Cot. H. L. Street, Sedgwick Command, Cot. George J. P. Wood, Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Rear Admiral Francis M. Ramsay; National Association Veterans of the Mexican War, Secretary A. M. Kenaday; Putnam Commandery, George F. Stevens, District Woman Suffrage Association, Mrs. Martha P. Davis, Legion of Loyal Women, Mrs. Ruth G. Blasland; National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Mrs. Adiai E. Stevenson; Regular Army and Navy Union, Gen. J. M. Schoffeld; St. George's Society, Charles Banks Brooks, Washington National Monument Society, Secretary Dr. Francis M. Gorgodi, Acc. George's Society, Charles Banks Brooks, Washington National Monument Society, Secretary Dr. Francis M. Gunnell; Army and Navy Club, Confederate Veterans, aditary, Light Battery, Capt. H. G. Forsberg, Cavalry Troop, Capt. H. S. Barbour, Engineer Corps, Major Gilbert Thompson, Ambulance Company, J. A. Watson, First Regiment, Col. William G. Moore; First Battallon, Major B. R. Ross, Second Battalion, Major R. A. O'Brien; Third Battalion, Major F. T. Wilson.

Second Regiment, Col. Cecil Clay, Fourth

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Second Regiment, Col. Cecil Clay, Fourth
Battalion, Major E. R. Campbell, Fifth
Battalion, Major O. L. Suess, Sixth Battalion, Major G. A. Bartiett, First Separate
Battalion, Major F. C. Revells, Second
Beparate Company, Capt. C. B. Story,
National Rifles, Capt. James F. Oyster,
Old Guard, Capt. James M. Edgar.

It is likely that a very great number
of invitations can be extended to labor
organizations through their delegates tonight at the meeting of District Assembly night at the meeting of District Assembly

Asstated, however the committee desires to make it emphatic that the invitation above published is specific as well as

EARNINGS OF THE PENSY.

Business for the Month of September

Shows a Marked Increase Philadelphia, Oct. 23.-The statement of all business of the Pennsylvania Railroad lines for September was issued to day. All lines cast of Pittsburg and Eric, as com-pared with the same month in 1894, show an increase ingress carnings of \$288, 466,05; an increase in expenses of \$268,261.74; and increase in net carnings of \$20,-

194.31.
All lines west of Pittsburg and Erie for September, as compared with the same mouth in 1894, show an increase in gross of \$259,022.95; an increase in earnings of \$259,022,95; an increase in expenses of \$121,855,96, an increase in Bet earnings of \$137,136,99.

HOME DEDICATED.

Ten Thousand Ohio Masons Turn Out for the Ceremony.

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Springfield, O., Oct 23.—The Ohio Masonic Home, built at a cost of \$150,000, was dedicated to hay in the presence of 40,000 people. Four special trains were run from Cincinnati and specials from Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo and elsewhere. There were 10,000 Masons in line, nearly \$,000 of whom were Knights Templar

Drink Washington Brewery Co.'s Ruby

His Induction as Co-Pastor.

Dr. Radeliffe Thus Compared the Three Shepherds of the President's

Church-Flowers and Ported Plants, Music and Crowds Made the Scene a Memorable One.

The installation service of Rev. T. De Witt Talunge as co-paster of the First Presbyterian Church, as ordered by the Presbytery of Washington, was observed last night.

The palpit was so thickly planted with palms that their foliage completely shaded the crimson carpet. Chrysanthemums and other fall flowers were banked against the pulpit and shed their soft perfume throughout the church. Everything seemed to harmonize, did harmonize, with the golden legend that arched the pulpit with a semi-circle of gilt: "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty." By 6:30 o'clock a mass of people pressed

against the doors of the church and reach-ed nearly to Louisiana avenue. As the mo-ments passed this throng increased. Mem-bers of the church were admitted first, but everybody who came found a seat. As the public filed in the organ began and after a few soft bars of the prelate had floated through the Church Rev. Dr. Talnage entered, and passing down the south aisie was ushered into the pastor's study. As the last murmur of the prelade faded away all the electric lights were turned on and the chandeliers and wall bulbs never seemed to glow so brightly

A SUGGESTION TOOUR

POLICE.

out. He welcomed Dr. Talmage to the city, which, despite its struggles and ambitions, was a church going and chirch loving community. He welcomed him heartify to this Presbytery and to the pulpit of the First Church, which boasted such a long line of consecrated men.

consecrated men.

1r. Radeliffe compared the unique trinity
of pastors at the First Church to Moses,

Rev. Dr. Thomas Chalmers Easten ren

nant, vibrant voice pronounced the ben-

diction, as follows:

"And now may the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and communion of the Holy Ghost be with us for

The organ pealed forth the "Installation

March," composed by Organist Johnson for the occasion, while the officers of the church and other members shook hands

TO CONVERT HEATHEN.

for Japan and China.

San Francisco, Oct. 23.—Among the pas-sengers on the steamship China, which

salled for the Orient yesterday afternoo were the following missionaries destine for oriental stations:

was Rev. H. Allen Turper and Rev. Mr. Wilbur, of Baltimore, who are going on a

LIFE UNDERWRITERS.

Opening Exercises of the Sixth Ar

mual Convention at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Oct. 28.—The delegates to

the sixth annual convention of the Nationa

ance Company?"

In the afternoon the delegates were to for a drive through Fairmount Park.

TO SHOOT THE FALLS.

Stanley, the Ohio Bridge Jumper, Studying Niagara Currents.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Since Monday night a stoutly-built stranger,

apparently not far from thirty-five years of age, has been stopping at the hotel at Echota and employing a large portion of his time in wandering along the banks of the river between that suburb and this

city, evidently engaged in studying the

currents.

The man is registered as "Meredith, of Cincinnati," but it is said that he is none other than Meredith Stanley, the Ohio bridge jumper, who recently aunounced his intention of shooting the

great cataract in a barrel. If the stranger is really Stanley, and he does not back out of his proposed undertaking, it is prob-able that he will make the trip within

Fredericksburg's Fair Begun

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(Special to The Times.)

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 23.—The (ighth annual fair of the Rappahannock Valley Agricultural and Mechanical Society, which began to-day, promises to be the most successful yet held. The races were by far the best ever witnessed on the track and the display in all the departments greatly exceeded the hopes of the management. The attendance was 8,000.

the next twenty-four hours.

with their new co-pastor.

SUBURBAN

SCENE TO REMEMBER.

The scene was a picturesque one. A forest of potted plants restled and swayed, a multitude of fans fluttered and hundreds programmes rattled in the hands of the

congregation.

After organist Gabriel F. Johnson had translated one of the music-prayers of Haydn, Br. Talmage entered from the study and took a seat at the end of the second pew of the right section. Mr. Talmage was not much apparent in the proceedings of installation except by reference, and the only time his voice was heard was when making response to the constitutional questions put by Rev. Adolos Allen, moderator of the presbytery of Washington, and the brief and formal beneficition which brought Atter over brief and formal benediction which brought the service of installation to an end.

Rev. Dr. Allen, as presiding officer, re-viewed the history of the call of Dr. Tal-mage, and his acceptance of it. The officers of installation were scated in the pulcers of instantion were scatted in the pur-pit, Rev. David Gregg occupying the cen-ter, Rev. Dr. Easton on his left, and Rev. Dr. Bittinger on his right. Rev. Dr. Hamilin made the prayer of in-vocation, closing with the Lord's Prayer,

vocation, closing with the Lord's Prayer, in which all present Joined. Rev. Dr. Patch, pastor of Gantog Temple Memorial Church, announced hymn No. 616, "Elect from the nation, Ye One on all the earth, her charter of salvation, one Lord, one faith, one birn." The concourse of people sang this almost as a unit, and with considerable vim. Psalm CVH was read responsively by the ministers and people. After the conclusion of the last sentence, "Because of the house of the Lord, our God, I will seek Thy good," the congregation sang "Gloria Patria." Rev. Dr. Hamilin followed with the reading of a Scripture lesson and with the reading of a Scripture lesson and offered a devout prayer, in which he asked that Divine belp would be given by Talmage in his administering of the Ing men to Christian discipleship

PRAYED FOR THE PASTORS The prayer embraced Kev. Dr. Sunde land and Rev. Dr. Allen. Gottnod's "Re demption" was rendered magnificently by

deuption" was rendered magnificently by the choir, Mrs. W. L. Wilson, soprano, being the solost.

Rev. Br. Gregg, paster of Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Charch. Brooklyn, then arose to deliver the sermon of the evening. He is an oratorical backing clergyman, with a clean-shaven face, long hair, and spoke very rapidly from manu-seriot thanch he did not confine himself script, though he did not confine himself to the written pages. The title of his address was "The Future Minister: Shall He Be, and What Shall He Be?"

He first dwelt on the relations that should exist between paster and people.

should exist between pastor and people. There was no interest felt in the Christian minister like that felt by the Christian people. They were the arbiters of his ministership. The people filled the pulpit. Individual readers were responsible for the policy of their newspaper; individual voters in a Congressional district were responsible for the character of their representatives, and the individual members of a congregation, were responsible for their minister. their minister.

their minister.

It was good for the Christian pulpit to have set before it the ideal consecrated Christian minister. They should insist that their ministers should be men who represented God. He gave a series of reasons for his belief in the perpetuity of the religious ministry. The clurch was not a human device. Desire to worship was an element in human nature, it was a not a human device. Derive to worship was an element in human nature; it was a part of the structure of the soul. As men needed skilled instructors in other things to they needed them in the church.

All men could not give especial study to the word of God. There were heights which it required labor to climb.

QUALIFICATIONS OF A MINISTER He told what, in his opinion, the minister of the future should be. He should only

become a minister at the call of God. He should not preach for the sake of money, the love of applaure, and the love of fame. Dr. Gregg denounced what he called a certain irreverent spirit in some later day clergymen to ridicale the clergymen of the part. The ministers of the past had laid the foundation of our present greatness, and the minister of to-day who received to undervalue the service to the sought to undervalue the service to the world of the devout men of the past, was simply laying the foundation for his own underestimation.

He congratulated the Christians of Wash-

He congratulated the Christians of Washington on having secured Dr. Talmage, Dr. Talmage was a preacher of the present and of the future. Dr. Gregg referred to Dr. Sunderland as a great man whose twilight eclipses some men's noon. The people of the First Church had taken from Brooklyn its brightest dight, but they had given it a more central location. He referred at considerable length to the "onliness" of Dr. Talmage, and paid particular attention to the distinguished divine's "rhetorical panse," which, he said, flooded his sermons with flashes of golden silence.

Rev. Dr. Bittinger announced Hynm 619 and then Dr. Allen put the formal constitutional questions to which Dr. Talmage, from his seat in the pew responded in a firm voice." It am ""the control to the present the control of the pew responded in a firm voice." tional questions to which Dr. Talmage, from his seat in the pew responded in a firm voice: "I am," "I am," "I do and will." The

usual questions were put to the congres and the members responded affirmative raising their hands. CHARGE TO THE PASTOR. Rev. Wallace Radciffte, D. D., delivered the charge to the co-pastor, admonishing him to preach Christ and to preach Presby-terianism. He alluded to Washington as the national Mount Zion whence the tribes went



edging Cuban Insurgents.

Converting Old Cruisers Into Modern Warships and Will Arm Transatlantic Steamers.

London, Oct. 23.-The Central News has a dispatch from Madrid saying that the government has decided upon the arming of several of the Spanish Transatlantic Company's steamers and the conversion of the oat cruisers Namancia and Victoria into

modern warships.

The steamers Reina Maria Cristina, Leon XIII., Alionso XIII., Montevideo and Pdese Trustegui will be armed with fourteen-centimetro gaus by the be-gloning of December and will be sent to Cuba.

of pastors at the First Church to Moses, Aaron and Hur. He advised Dr. Taimage to teach his flock to sing and to pray, as well as to listen to the word of God.

Rev. Dr. Bittinger delivered the charge to the people, admonishing them in their admiration for Dr. Taimage not to neglect their faithful servant, Dr. Sunderland. He referred feelingly to the tender relations which had so long existed between Dr. Sunderland and the people of the church. He took occasion to bring out at some length his idea that the church is not a social organization devised by man, but a divine institution. Cuba.

This action on the part of the government is generally regarded as a preparatory measure against the recognition of the insurgents as belingerents by any American government. It is accepted as a certainty that Spain would regard such recognition on the part of any government as a violation of international law, and would immediately place the nation upon a war footing and authorize Spainsh vessels to capture upon the seas merchantmen belonging to the nation as recognizing the insurgents. dered the closing prayer and the choir and congregation sang "Onward Christian Sol-diers." During the singing of this hymn Dr. Taimage had taken his position behind the Bible rest and stood calmiy surveying the congregation, with his right hand in the breast of his buttened-up Prince Albert coat. After the song had ceased and after a slight pause, Dr. Taimage in a big, reso-

CITY HALL WORTHLESS.

Great Frauds Found in the New St. Louis Building.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 23.-As the committee investigating the work on the par-tially completed city hall proceeds with their labors, they find fresh evidences of fraud in its construction.

have been found to contain blow-holes, which were concealed by tren cement and paint; the trusses are insufficient to sustain the weight of the roof; the towers are believed to be unable to resist high winds, the tilling of the roof is defective; and the building is without the concern. building is without drain pipes or sewer

In brief, the immense pile of granite and from which has already cost the city over \$2,000,000, is practically worthless as an official building and will have to be re-

MALET'S LEAVE-TAKING.

for oriental stations.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Graves, Canton, China;
Rev. R. E. Chambers and wife, Swatow,
China; Rev. J. C. McCullom and wife,
Meiji, Japan, under the auspices of the
Southern Baptist Missionary Board, and
Prof. Topping and wife, Miss Neilie E.
Fife, Miss Minnle Carpenter and Mr. Seaholm, for Japanese points, supplied by the
American Baptist Union. With the party
Wass Rev. H. Alley, Turner and Prov. Mr.

call to Germany's Emperor.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—Sir Edward Malet, the retiring British ambassador, presented his letter of recall to the Emperor to-day. The occasion was one of grand ceremonial. Sir Edward was accompanied by Lady Malet, who was received by the Empress, and Sir Edward and Lady Malet afterward took luncheon at the castle.

In presenting his letter of recall Sir

Among the passengers of note were Mr. M.
H. Furness and Mr. H. M. Hiller of the
University of Pennsylvania, who will occupy a year in zoological and ethnological
research. ward took lincheon at the castle.

In presenting his letter of recall Sir Edward made an address to which the Emperor replied with a speech, in which, it is said, he gave the assurance that England and Germany were united by ties which could not be drawn closer, namely; Blood relationship, fellowship on blood-stained battlefields, and people next of kin. Association of Life Enderwriters began to congregate early this morning in the corridor of the Continental Hotel, but it was not until nearly 10:30 o'clock that the convention was called to order in the drawing room of the Century Club.

CARTER ISSUES A CALL

Republican National Committee Will New York, Oct. 23.—Hon. Thomas H. Carter, chairman of the Republican National Committee, to-night issued the following:

room of the Century Club.

Throughout the convention hall there were arranged numerous banners bearing the titles of the various delegations and marking the seats of the delegates.

Rev. Philip L. Jones, of Philadelphia, led in prayer, and President Plummer, with a few remarks, introduced Mayor Charles F. Warwick, who delivered the address of welcome. He was followed by President E. H. Plummer, who read his annual address. Mr. Samuel R. Shipley read a paper on "Which is the Ideal Life Insurance Company?" "The Republican National Committee is hereby called tomes at the Arlington Hotel, Washington, D. C., at 20'clock p. m. December 10, 1895, to designate a time and place for the meeting of the national convention in 1896, and to transact such other business as may demand consideration."

Deep Water Contention. Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 23.—The session of the Deep Water convention to day was devoted to the reading of papers. Mr. Bravo, of Pittsburg, advocated the improvement of the Ohlo and its tributaries as an incident to the improvement to the Mississippi. He was followed by Capt. Willard, who set forth the work now being done on the great Yazoo river canal, which will give Vicksburg a permanent water front.

Denver, Col., Oct. 23.—The Raven Tunnel and Mining Company on Raven Hill, at Cripple Creek, has sold its property for more than \$400,000 to C. C. Hathaway, Eben Smith and D. H. Moffatt. One of the mines of the company is the Raven, which has produced over \$200,000.

Wealthy Virginian Dead. (Special to The Times.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 23.—Joseph Lawson, one of the most prominent and popular citizens of Lynchberg, died to-day. He was said to be yery, wealthy.

Ten Deaths from Cholera.

Alexandria, Egypt, Oct. 23.—For the two days ended with Teesday last there were reported in Menzaleb, a town of lower Egypt, twenty miles from Damietta, twenty-three cases of cholera and ten deaths from the disease.

Drink Washington Brewery Co.'s Ruby Drink Washington Brewery Co.'s Ruby Lager.

Will Fight any Country Acknowl- Ready to Protest and Fight Against British Aggression.

President Crespo Disbelieves in Unjust Demands and Trusts in the Monroe Doctrine.

(Special to The Times.)

(Copyrighted by James Gordon Bennett.) New York, Oct. 23.-A special cable to the Herald from Carneas, Venezuela, says:
"I asked President Crespo this afternoon to outline the position of Venezueia in regard to the demand of Great Britain that repa-ration be made for the arrest of British subjects, and that a settlement of the boundary question between the two coun-ries be arreased.

While the President of the Republic While the President of the Republic maintained a certain degree of diplomatic reserve, I am able to say on the highest authority that the government, as well as public opinion, diabelieves in any attempt at unjust aggression on the part of England, and confides in the Monre doctrine. Should, however, such aggression occur. Venezuela will resist heroically. The Venezuelan government, I am informed, is still officially uninformed in relation to England's ultimatum.

WISCONSIN SWEPT BY FIRE.

Three Counties Burned Over by Flerce Forest Flames. Green Bay, Wis., Oct. 23.-Forest fires

are still sweeping across Kewaonee and Ahnapee counties and part of Brown county between Green Bay and Lake Michigan, the burning district extending over a territory thirty to fifty miles long and ten to

territory is also in flames. The wind is blowing a gale from the south and fires are

spreading in all directions.

Few detailed reports of losses are received, but between thirty and forty farm houses, with barns, crops, and machinery, have been destroyed. No towns or villages are reported in danger. The woods are dry as timler and the soil is based to a depth of two or three feet. Continued dry weather, with no decrease in the velocity of the wind, is certain to add many thousand dollars to losses, as wells and small streams are dry, and there is absolutely no pro-tection against fire. North of this city the lowlands extending to Peshtigo have been burned over and

there is no longer danger in that direction, though in the woods west of the bay fires are still burning flercely. That territory is thickly settled by farmers, and reports of the progress of the fire are anxiously awaited.

NOT ACHING FOR ANOTHER.

Senator Quay Says He Is Just Out of

a Political Fight. New York, Oct. 23.—Senator Matthew Stanley Quay arrived at the Fifth Ave-nue Hotel at 1 o'clock this afternoon,

nue Hotel at I o'clock this afternoon. He comes to consult with prominent leaders of the Republican party, who are already in the city.

One of the matters that will be practically settled at this conference will be the time and place for the next Republican National Convection. Senator Quay said that he was in favor of an early Republican convention, and hoped that it would be held in Pittsburg.

It was reported that he was after the chairmanship of the national committee.

chairmanship of the national committee. When asked about this, he said: "I have just got rid of one big fight, and I'm not looking for another." He said he had no particular political errand in New York.

DEATH ROLL.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 23.-Word was received here to-day of the death at Greensburg, Pa., this morning of William M. Stewart, sr., of this city. Mr. Stewart was a partner in the banking firm of B. K. Jamison & Co., of Philadelphia. For more than twenty years Mr. Stewart was solicitor of the West Pennsylvania division of the the Pennsylvania railroad. He was 77 years of age.

Dayton, Obio, Oct. 22.—David L. Rike, the pioneer millionaire dry goods merchant.

the pioneer millionaire dry goods merchant, for years the head of the firm of The D. L. Rike Company, of this city, died early this morning. He was seventy-one years of age.

(Special to The Times.)

(Copyright by James Gordon Bennett.) New York, Oct. 23.-A special cable dispatch to the Herald from Paris says: Francis Hinton, late manager of the Milwaukee steel works, blew his brains out at the corner of the Rue Royale and the Place de la Concorde at 8:30 o'clock

Underwriters' Troubles Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 23.—On the preliminary hearing in the magistrate's court to-day C. D. Thompson and Frank Snyder were bound over to the next term of the circuit court, charged with "conspiracy and combination" to raise insurance rates at Chattanooga.

HILL GIVEN AN OVATION PRESIDENT SAW

Meeting at Cooper Union.

INTRODUCED BY COUDERT GREAT MILITARY PARADE

First Paid His Respects to the Republican Party in National Affairs. State and Municipal Politics Touched On-The McKinley Turiff Discussed. Will Go Out to Oblo.

New York, Oct. 23 .- One of the largest mass meetings ever held in this city crowded Cooper Union to-night. The meeting was held under the auspices of the State Democratic Committee and the principal speaker of the evening was Senator David B.

ing of the proceedings crowds began to gather about Cooper Enion and within a few misutes after the doors to the hall were thrown open every seat was oc-cupied, every aisie was januared, and hundreds had to be turned away unable to

The meeting was called to order by The meeting was called to order by Chairman Hinkley, of the Democratic State Committee, who introduced the chairman of the evening, Frederick R. Coudert Mr. Condert made a short speech in which he said he favored partisansilp but wished it to be understood that the Democratic party was in the majority and should rule. He then introduced Senator Hill, who received an ovation lasting several minutes. When the cheering and hand-clapping had subsided sufficiently to allow his voice to be heard, Senator Hill began his address.

Senator Hill in opening his address paid

his address.

Senator Hill in opening his address paid his respects to Senator Miller and the Republican party. He traced its history in its various national piatforms. He ciaimed that the party had been equally inconsistent in State affairs.

"It has declared in a general way for local self-government, and then its legislation has centered power at Albany. It has been for home rule for cities and then against it—usually against it. It

then against it—usually against it. It has advocated non-partisan municipal ad-ministration in Democratic cities and main-tained partisan ones in Republican

TARIFF DISCUSSED. In speaking of the tariff he said: "The tariff bill emacted in 1894 by the Democratic party went into effect on August 28, 1894, and thus has been in operation only a little over one year. That time has not been ample to determine its value and usefulample to determine its value and useful-ness. It is to be regretted that it has not net the full expectations of its friends in realizing sufficient revenues to prevent deficiencies, but this consolation exists, that even if there must be some deficiencies for a brief period, there has been no unnec-essary and extravagant taxation imposed under its provisions.

essary and extravagant taxation imposed under its provisions.

"No new tariff law can demonstrate its capacity within a single year's trial, and no sensible man should expect otherwise. The difficulty is that the country has not yet recovered from the far-reaching injurious effects of the terrible panic of 1893, caused by the Republican Sherman silver act of 1890, passed by Republicans over the vote of every Democrat in Congress.

"This fact, however, cannot escape observation, and that is, that the moment the Mekiney law was repealed and the new tariff law enacted—August 28, 1894—the times began to improve, and have continued to improve ever since—slowly it may be, but surely, safely and satisfactorily.

"The national Democratic administration is giving to the country a well administered."

When he grew weary the committee rushed him into a carriage and off to the Piedmont Driving Clab, just in the outer days of the argument.

government. The various departments are being honestly, economically and wisely conducted. No scandals have disgraced them, no irregularities have occurred; no abuses of power have been tolerated, no extreme partisanship has characterized them. With honor, dignity and diligence they are dicharging their duties as public trusts for the welfare of the whole people." PERSONAL LIBERTY.

In speaking of the "personal liberty" is sue, he said: "The Democratic party has always been the consistent champion of personal liberty. It will not change its attitude by reason of misrepresentations or the threats or the boasts of puritanism. "The Democrate, in the revision of 1892, did not change the Sunday pro-1892, did not change the Sunday provisions of 1857, but left them as the Republicans originally enacted them save and except that they liberalized those provisions in one important particular.

"Butthenew policecommissioners of New York, immediately upon-their assumption of their officer, adopted a strict, narrow and arbitrary interpretation of these Sunday laws, and vociferously and ostentation by the provisional of the control of the cont tionly proclaimed that they were to be relentlersly enforced. In that spirit they opened their warfare upon the chizens of New York and arouted a spirit of in-dignation on the part of all decent men, which only awaits an opportunity to ex-press itself at the ballot box."

press useff at the ballot box."
When the Senator had concluded his speech he announced that he was going out to Ohio to give his services to Governor Campbell in the latter's campaign. He will remain in Ohio three or four days

M'DONALD'S STATUE.

Monument Purchased by Canadian Contributions Unveiled at Kingston. Kingston, Ont., Oct. 23.—The unveiling of the monument to the late Sir John Mac

It is a replica of the Montreal statue It is a replica of the Montreal statue, but without the canopy; Sir John, in privy connell attire, standing bodily forth. The pedestal is of fine New Brunswick Stone-In raised letters are the words, "Mnc-Donald," and that familiar quotation, "A Bettish subject I was born a Bettish sub-British subject I was born; a British sub-ject I shall die." Hon. MacKenzie Boweil unveiled the statue smid music and applause and then made an address.

KUTA-KUTA DANCE.

turer During Fair Times.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Members of the National Association of Implement Manufacturers were on record to day as being opposed to Midway exhibitions at county fairs.

A resolution

A resolution was adopted which cited that windmills, threshing machines and vehicles stood no earthly chance whatever by the side of the seductive Kuta-Kuta dance, and a vigorous compaign will at once be begun to wipe out this innovation, so the farmer will take some time for the so the farmer will take some time for the inspection of agricultural displays.

GEN. EWING IMPROVED.

Will Be Able to Go to New York To-day. Gen. Ewing has improved so that Mrs.
Ewing will accompany him home to New
York this evening or Friday. The attack
In the court room proved to have been but
a temporary indisposition.

He was in bed yesterday under the advice
of his doctor, but feit able to be about.

Addressed an Immense Mass- Thousands Welcomed Him to the Cotton States Exposition.

After the Review a Reception Was Held-Beat the Record on Handshaking-Much Pleased With the Negro and Government Exhibits Every Building Visited.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 23.-Pretident's day at the Cotton States Exposition broke bright, balmy, and beautiful. Incoming trains brought thousands of visitors, and the streets were crowded at an early hour. The Precident remained in his aparaments at the Aragon until the coin

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Secretary Carlisle and Vice Presidens Stevenson were out early, however, for a stroil. The throng collected around the hotel long before carriager arrived for the distinguished visitors. Calls were made for the President, but he did not respond.

At 10 o'cleck the military procession formed down town and half an loost later passed the Aragon on its way out to the exposition. The military was not intended as an excort and Mr. Ceveinnd and his official family were driven rapidly to the exposition grounds. They reached the reviewing stand in front of the government building a few minutes before the head of the column of troops wound around the hill in front of the adminis fration building, patt the Pennsylvania, New York, and

hill in front of the administration building, part the Pennsylvania, New York, and fine arts' buildings.

Beside President Cleveland and Secretaries Carlisic, Lamout, Herbert, Morton, and Postmaster General Wilson, on the reviewing stand were Vice President Stevenson, Gev. Attainson, Georgia, exposition and city officials. The military parade was long and picturesque. United States regulars from Fort MePherson, volunteers from Connecticut, Virginia, North Carolina and Georgia were in line.

SMILED AT GOVERNORS.

SMILED AT GOVERNORS. Gov. O'Ferrall and staff, of Virginia, received prolonged cheers as they rede by. Gov. Coffin and the redecoated Governor's Foot Guard from New Haven, Conn., got a great round of appliance. Mr. Cleveland lifted his hat to the commanding officers. as they passed and gave the governors a special smile. The review being over, Br. T. S. Hopkins, of Atlanta, delivered a prayer for the President and the prespectly of the nation and the success of the expe-

President Collier, of the exposition, then in a ten minutes' speech introduced the President. Several thousand people were on the plana within sight of the President. Though only a small part of these could hear the introduction, all recognized his rotund figure and gave a mighty cheer. The President had most respectful attention while he spoic. The conclusion of the speech was greeted with cheers.

Then the crowd called for Carlisle and he arose and bowed, but refused to speak, Vice President Stevenson, in the same manner, acknowledged the shoats for him, and shook his head when the people called for a speech. President Collier, of the exposition, then

reduced by the grounds. There a champagne luncheon was served at 3 o'clock to the President, cabinet officers, and their wives, after which the party began to take in all

THE NEGRO EXHIBIT.

He was especially anxious to see the displays made by the United States government and the negroes. He spent more time in those two buildings than in any of the others.

At the Negro building he was met by S. I. Garland Penn, chief of the Negro department, and his associates. The President shook hands with them and after looking the building over, congratulated them on the excellence of their display and the evidence of their nec's material them on the excellence of their display and the evidence of their race's material advancement and prosperity. He was greatly impressed by the showing which the race made. Commissioner Penn and his assistants were highly cated by the President's comments.

Mr. Cleveland was greatly gratified, too, at what he saw in the Government building. The display there is the best which

at what he saw in the Government building. The display there is the best which the country has ever made and the President complimented the men in charge. Uncle Sam's building is the most popular on the grounds, and the fisheries exhibit always has the largest crowd.

A short visit was paid to the Woman's building, where Mrs. Jos. Thompson, chairman of the Woman's Board, and her as sociates received the Presidential party. The other buildings were done more hurriedly, but the visitors waiked through the Fine Arts, Liberal Arts, Electrical, Transportation, Machinery and Forestry buildings. They were driven around the grounds, past all the State buildings and through the midway which was packed with spectators. Chinese, Dahomeyans, Indians, Japanese and representatives of a dozen other nations lined up to see the procession pass.

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Paine gave a brilliant illumination of the grounds, whiching up with a fiery portrait of the President.

The President did not have time to rest at the Aragon before the reception hour at the Capitol City Club.

The reception was largely attended and it was a swell affair. Mr. Cleveland re-mained from 9 o'clock until nearly mid-night, when he withdrew to prepare for his return trip to Washington.

SHOT IN THE BACK. Cowardly Assassination of a North Carolina Rullroad Man.

(Special to The Times.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 23.—Charles Neville, an old and trusted employe of the Atlantic Coast Line, at Tarboro, N. C., was to-day shot through the back with buckshot and instantly killed by unknown narries.

parties.

Robbery is believed to have been the motive for the crime, as the man was paid off a day or two ago.

Auction Sales To-day.

DUNCANSON BROS. Auctioneers.

Fourth street northwest, No. 1619, brick dwelling, lot 48 in Gibbs sub, square 520. By order of Geo. E. Fleming and Wm. D. Hoover, trustees. Sale Thursday, Oct. 24th, at 4:30 p. m.

P street between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets northwest, building site, lot 101, square 181. Sale Thursday, Oct. 24th, 5 p. ni.

THOS. DOWLING & CO. Auctioneers.

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